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APPLICANTS: Jubb et al.

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated May 1, 2001, Applicants respectfully
submit the following remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

I. ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Applicants submit herewith an Abstract of the Disclosure as a separate sheet,
and note that this Abstract was supplied with the original application on page 12.

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